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Bolsa
DAHLIA GARDEN

197 OAKDALE AVENUE, MILL VALLEY, CALIFORNIA

1932

THIS catalog which we present to our friends contains a list of the dahlias in which we are now specializing—the Pompons, Miniatures, English Singles and Anemones.

The little Pompons have become so popular the last few years they hardly need an introduction. They appeal for favor with a big majority who prefer the small class of dahlias. They are very fine for garden effect or decoration of any kind. For exhibition they must be true to type—ball-shaped and under two inches in diameter. Their keeping qualities which is one of the most essential for exhibition is unequalled. They may be had in most all shades of colors with the exception of the blues.

Miniatures are a new type, many of which were introduced a few years ago from England. They are larger than pompons and their bright and unusual color combinations come in peony and decorative types and many are the informal decoratives which make them very attractive because of the irregularity of form. They are so graceful and charming the public simply fall for them wherever they are exhibited. The bushes are a mass of blooms from the beginning to the end of the season.

The English Singles are very pretty and quite in a class by themselves. They are open-centered, single in form having only one row of ray florets. They are stately and artistic and especially adapted to table decoration.

The Anemone is also open-centered with a single row of ray florets but with tubular disc florets forming a pincushion effect. These are dainty and pretty.

We grow the very best in each class, all of which we recommend. Once you have grown any of these varieties you will be charmed with them.

We exhibited some of each class at four different shows winning the coveted prize for a basket of the most perfect Pompons—also first for the most artistic arrangement, the best collection, the best in pinks, reds, lavenders and yellows and for the most harmonious combination in color arrangement.

In the Miniatures we won first for the most artistic basket, also first on our English Singles. The beautiful basket of Little Jewel and Pink Pearl on the cover of this catalog was a first prize winner at the 1931 show of the Dahlia Society of California.

Wishing a most successful 1932 season to all,

Cordially,

"THE HAAKES"
(Mr. and Mrs. H. C.)

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NEW POMPON DAHLIAS

We are introducing two new Pompons of our own this season and several from other growers.

DONNY	Lovely small orange which holds its center throughout the whole season	\$1.00
ELMA	Primrose tipped and mottled brownish red, fine form, free bloomer and very attractive. No two blooms marked exactly alike	1.00
HONEY	Pale honey yellow with faint suffusion of red on edge of petals. Excellent flower with very long stems. Free bloomer. Awarded certificate of merit at Storrs	1.00
LINA DELL.	Our own 1932 introduction. A very brilliant red of medium size. A striking pompon	Net 1.50
SUNNY JIM	Pinkish tan—a splendid pompon—extra long stems	1.00
SILVER TIPS	One of our prize-winners we are introducing this season. A small purple with center and reverse of petals silvery gray. Very dainty and pretty. No other pompon like it.	Net 1.50

BOLSA GARDEN POMPON DAHLIAS

The following list of Pompons is separated into groups under their colors. You will find this very helpful in selecting the colors you desire.

RED SHADES

*BANTAM	Brownish red, small, very long stems	\$0.50
*BILLEE	Dark crimson, rich color . . . . .	.50
DARKEST OF ALL	Maroon, almost black . . . . .	.50
*JOHNNY PEPPIN	Small dark crimson, splendid formation.	.75
LITTLE BEESWING	Golden yellow heavily tipped red, small	.35
LITTLE MARY	Deep red, small perfect form. . . . .	.50
*LINA DELL (1932)	Brilliant red of medium size . . Net	1.50

LAVENDER AND PURPLE SHADES

*BOSSY (New)	Lavender—Darker in center—Long stems	.75
*DEE DEE	Pale lilac, very small . . . . .	.50
GIRLIE	Pure lilac, good bloomer . . . . .	.35
*HELEN ANITA	Small lavender, white center, very attractive, long stems . . . . .	.50
*KATHLEEN	American beauty color . . . . .	.50
*LIBBIE ROHR	Cerise purple. Long stems. . . . .	.75
*MARY MUNNS	Fuchsia, dark orchid sheen, long stems	.75
*MARY	Pale mauve, deeper in center . . . . .	.50
REGULUS	Cerise purple . . . . .	.35
ROSEA	Bluish lilac, small . . . . .	.50
*SILVER Tips (1932)	Small purple, center and reverse of petals silvery gray, very dainty.	Net 1.50
*SUZANNE	Lavender pointed petals; good stems.	.50
*TAKA'S PURPLE	Bright carmine—Long stems . . . . .	.50
*THE FLAPPER	Crimson maroon and cream pink . . . . .	.75

YELLOW AND ORANGE SHADES

*AIMEE	Wee bronze . . . . .	.35
AMBER QUEEN	Amber and gold shadings . . . . .	.35
*ANNA KRISTINA	Golden yellow, deeper at center . . . . .	.35
*DANDY	Light orange. . . . .	.50
*DONNY (New)	Small orange. Holds center.	1.00
DOUGLAS TUCKER	Golden yellow, crimson center . . . . .	.50
*ELMA (New)	Primrose tipped and mottled brownish red, fine form, free bloomer	1.00
GOLDILOCKS	Pure gold. Long stems . . . . .	.50
HONEY (New)	Light honey yellow with faint suffusion of red on edge of petals. Long stems	1.00

*California Origin.

Bolsa Garden Pompon Dahlias—Continued

YELLOW AND ORANGE SHADES—Continued

*LITTLE DAVID	Deep burnt orange, perfect form; abundant bloomer	\$0.35
LITTLE EDITH	Primrose tipped carmine, small perfect form. Short stems . . . . .	.50
*MICKY	Straw daintily tipped lavender. . . . .	.50
*MIKE	Burnt orange, shading lighter at outside of petals; very dainty . . . . .	.50
*MYRA (1930)	Deep canary base, heavily tipped raspberry red. . . . .	.75
*NANKY POO (New)	Golden yellow brownish center . . . . .	.75
*PEGGY ANN	Yellow, edged and shaded brownish red, prolific bloomer. . . . .	.75
*PIXY (1930)	Small deep yellow, heavily tipped Indian red.	1.00
*SUNNY JIM (New)	Pinkish tan. Extra long stems	1.00
*YELLOW GEM	Pure yellow, excellent flower . . . . .	.35

PINK, OLD ROSE AND SALMON SHADES

ANNA VON SCHWERIN	Beautiful shell pink blending to a white center; very dainty . . . . .	.50
*BEBE	Pink and mauve, white ground. . . . .	.50
*BRIGHT EYE (New)	Rose Pink—Deeper center . . . . .	.75
*CORAL MAY	Salmon pink, shading to light primrose yellow with rose eye. . . . .	.50
*DOLORES (1930)	Very pretty deep pink, one tone. Net	1.50
*HAAKE'S GLOW (1930)	Yellow base tipped old rose. . . . .	.50
*HAZEL DELL	Clear pink with cerise edge. Not small but an excellent cut flower . . . . .	.50
*LEOLA	Soft pink, lovely color . . . . .	.35
*LILIAS	Pinkish mauve, prolific bloomer . . . . .	.35
NELLIE FRASER	Light ground, edged rose pink . . . . .	.35
NERISSA	Soft rose tinted silver . . . . .	.50
ROSA WILMOUTH	Rose pink . . . . .	.35
*SALLY	Small shell-like petals—Cream flushed pink75
*TY TEE	Rose blending to creamy peach.75

WHITE

*JOE FETTE	Pure white35
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*California Origin.

MINIATURE DAHLIAS

AUREOLA (Dec.)	Golden apricot	\$2.00
CHARLOTTE (Dec.)	Orange75
CRIMSON GLOW (Peony) . . .	Rich deep crimson . . . . .	.75
DUNDEE (Cac.)	Rich burnt orange . . . . .	.75
DAZZLE (Peony)	Dazzling scarlet, free from sunburn .	2.00
ELIZABETH PAPE (Cac.) . . .	Rosy salmon pink . . . . .	.75
FEDORA (Dec.)	Cerise, salmon and gold . . . . .	.75
GARDEN LOVE (Dec.)	Carmine rose, gold base . . . . .	.75
IRENE (Dec.)	Old gold . . . . .	.50
LADY MARY HOPE (Dec.) . . .	Amber and orange	2.00
LOVELY (Peony)	Bright rose pink	2.00
LITTLE JEWEL (Dec.)	Clear delicate pink . . . . .	.50
NORA BELLE (Dec.)	Scarlet flame, yellow base . . . . .	.75
PEACHY MIDGET (Dec.) . . .	Medium size pink . . . . .	.75
RHODA (Dec.)	Glowing orange rose . . . . .	.75
PICTURE (Peony)	Gold, shaded orange, suffused pink .	.75
PINK PEARL (Peony)	Lovely rose pink . . . . .	.75
VIVIAN WRIGHT (Dec.) . . .	Salmon pink . . . . .	.75

ANEMONE DAHLIAS

CLEMATIS	Large deep purple tipped gold . . .	\$0.75
GARZIELLA	Red penciled with white, cushion gold . . . . .	.75
MEISSONIER	Pale old rose, cushion edged gold .	.50



ENGLISH SINGLES

BLACK BIRD	Very deep red. Foliage attractive, almost black . . . . .	.75
FUGI SAN	Bronzy yellow, crimson ring . . . .	.75
LADY BOUNTIFUL	Rose pink, very scarce	1.00
MRS. RANDALL	Pale rose, flaked crimson . . . . .	.75
*NARANJA	Orange scarlet . . . . .	.75
NIMROD	Bright lavender and white, very attractive . . . . .	.75
UNION JACK	White, striped red . . . . .	.50

*California Origin.



*First Prize for most artistic receptacle of Pompons—at 1931 Show
of the Dahlia Society of California*

SEEDS

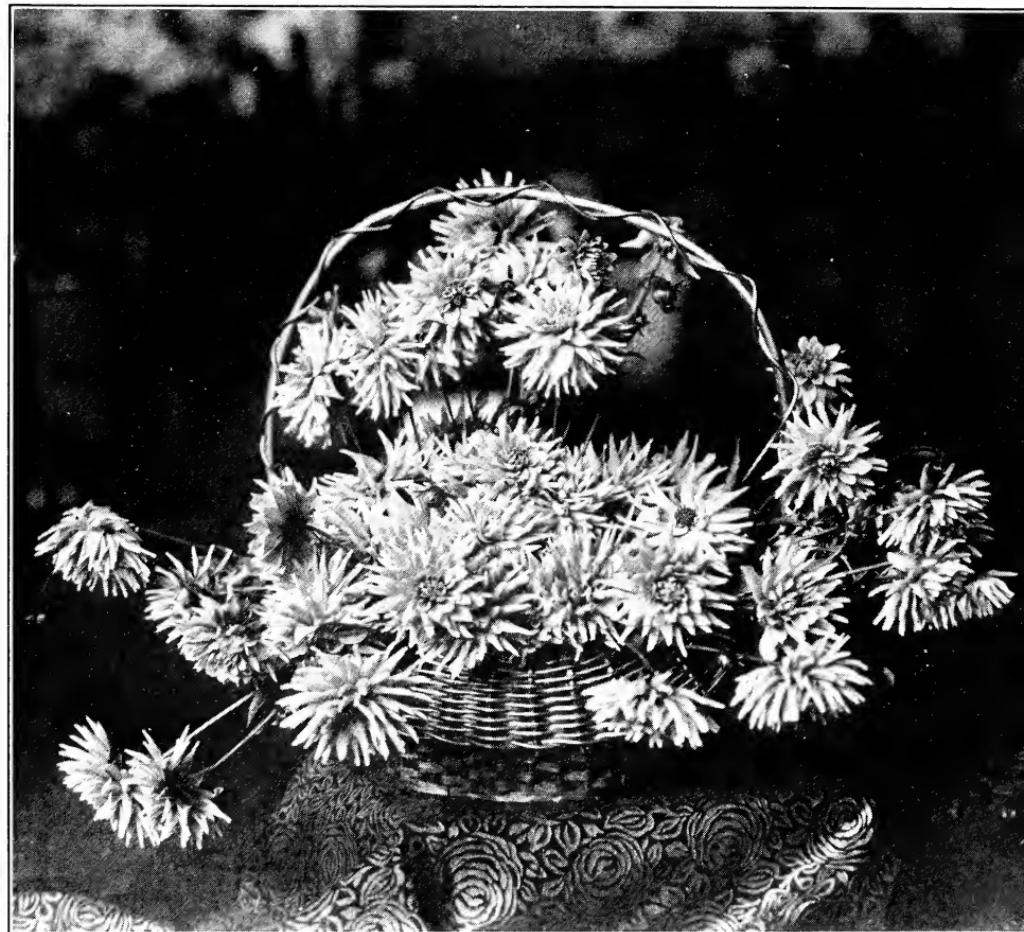
Growing dahlias from seed is one of the most interesting in dahlia culture. Varieties do not come true from seed so one gets the greatest thrill through the anticipation of some new and fine varieties developing from his seedlings.

Be a good sport and destroy the plants which show mediocre blooms for you will be rewarded with some good specimens worthy of being tried a second season.

Remember—all new dahlias come from seed. Purchase the best quality and you may be the one to develop a prize-winner—the coveted goal.

We offer a high grade of seed gathered from the choicest exhibition varieties.

100 Pompon seed mixed or in colors	\$1.00
Miniature or English Singles seed per pkt.25



Elizabeth Page—a beautiful salmon pink miniature

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